REPUBLICANS FOR WAR BILLS

Senators Agree to Do Everything Possible For U. S. Success in Conflict

Washington D. C. Feb. 11.-Republican Senators will give hearty and united support to all measure 'necessary to the vigorous prosecu-ion of the war to a successful is-

This decision was formally reached at the first conference held by Republican members of the Senate since the entrance of the United States into the World War.

While various items of pending legislation were naturally expected to be brought under discussion as a result of the announced meeting, they formed but a small part of the programme.

sult of the announced meeting, they formed but a small part of the proceedings. These were the Railroad bill and the bill for creating a war finance corporation, and more especially the Overman bill designed to equip the President with unusual authority and power.

That none was responsible for the conference was emphatically stated by leading members in attendance.

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"The conference was not called
to consider the effecting of Repuilican organization against any pending measure," said Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire.
"The fact," continued the Senator,
"so far as that phase of the situation was concerned the result of the
discussion was that with respect to
measures not vitally connected with
the prosecution of the war, there
would be no thought of acting as
a unit.

'It was recognized that there are

disregarded. The talk trended more toward the desirability of a voluntary organization of effective working strength, rather than the attempt to reach the same ends through the adoption of hard and fast statutory methods."

Senator Gallinger illustrated his meaning by reference to the British organization, where five or six men of distinction, representing expert ability in their particular fields, have been appointed and given power to act, without the introduction of special laws, to make the system one of rigidity.

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While it was intimated by Senator Gallinger and others that the
bill now before the Senate would be
given careful scrutiny, it was declared that there was no intention
on the part of the Republican membership of consolidating either for
or against any of the measures.
This preservation of the "open
mind," it was indicated, gave ample
allowance for free debate and indivdual differences of opinion and
action, without vitiating the agree-

ment, freely entered into, that essential war measures would receive the united support of the party membership in the Senate.

Following the adjournment of the conference, which was attended by more than half of the Republican members of the Senate, Senator Gallinger issued the following brief statement:

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"The conference was not called for the purpose of securing party action and no such action was taken. Republican Senators, as heretofore; will give cordial support to all necessary legislation for the vigorous prosecution of the war to a success-

Senator Penrose was not in attendance at the conference, being absent from Washington at the time of its holding. He had previously expressed his opposition to the Overman bill in its present form, however, on the ground that it granted practically autocratic power to the President, at the same time taking the course aiready followed by Congress in unduly abandoning its prerogatives and responsibilities.

Final R. R. Rate-Making Is Vested in Wilson

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nearings to fully discuss the justice, reasonableness and fairness of any rate in the light of war conditions. After these hearings the commission will report its conclusions to the President for such action as he may deem necessary "in the public interests."

The condition of the president of the exercise of war powers, or of any powers for that matter, would be most "unseemly," the report said. "It should not be overlooked," it should not be overlooked," it added, "that the President is responsible for the financial results of operating these great government carrier systems with gross revenues approximating \$4,000,000,000. The President must be given powers commensurate with his responsibility. The bill therefore leaves rates and ratemaking undisturbed, except as the President of the measure and pointed out that it was distinctly war emergency legislation, intended to meet the essential needs growing out of Federal control and that it should not be regarded as a bill either for ownership or control of railroads.

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MONDAY EVENING,

Men! --- A Shirt Sale!

With More Real Values Than Are Usually Found In Such An Event

\$1.50 Madras **\$1.15** Shirts....... Typical Values

A Shirt Sale with a great stock to give the "punch" that commands a man's interest. Notable offerings featured in the Mill and Factory Sale included-

\$2.00 fine woven stripe Madas shirts with soft cuffs—a great variety of patterns. Mill and Factory Sale Price \$1.39

\$3.85 and \$4.00 tub and fibre silk shirts. Mill and Factory

\$1.00 rep. poplin and percale shirts-a host of patterns. Mill and

Work Shirts

Blue chambray work shirts in light and dark shades. Mill and Factory Sale Price. 69c (Signal) Shirts, two collars, blue chambray, plain dark indige and blue polka dots, sizes 14 to 19. Mill and Factory Sale Price, \$1.50

Specials In Garmets For the Restful Moments of a Man's Life



Flannelette pajamas, military neck, two-piece garments; all sizes. Mill and Factory Sale Price. \$1.15 Heavy flannelette pajamas, two-piece gar-ments; high neck. Mill and Factory Sale Price S.1.29
T5c Muslin night shirts, white and fancy fraid trimming. Mill and Factory Sale Price G4c \$1.00 Muslin night shirts, white and fancy braid trimming. Mill and Factory Sale Price T9c T9c T9c

Men's Handkerchiefs Reduced

20c Sea Island cotton handkerchiefs with initial. Mill and Factory Sale Price
50c silk hemstitched handkerchiefs; fancy centers. Mill and Factory Sale Price, 3 for 55c, each
12½ Japonette initial handkerchief. Mill and Factory Sale Price, 3 for 25c; each
25c Paris, Brighton and Ivory garters. Mill and Factory Sale

Men's Garters and Suspenders 50c President suspenders. Mill and Factory Sale Price 35c 25c Police Suspenders with leather ends. Mill and Factory Sale Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Men's Store

Cut Glass & Silverware Specials In The Jewelry Section

All much below regular price in harmony with the saving principle of the Mill and Factory Sale.

\$1.25 cut glass Flower bas-\$1.00 Silver Plated gravy \$1.00 Silver Plated Childs' \$1.25 White ivory hair 89c Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor, Front.

Mill and Factory
Sale Price
50c White ivory hair receivers and puff boxes 29c Alarm Clocks

\$1.25 Nickel alarm clocks 980 Jewelry 50c gold filled cuff links 50c gold filled brooches, 25c gold filled beauty and hat pins, set

Mill and Factory Sale Economies In Groceries

Extra water crackers, 2 lbs., 37c Corn beef, No. 1 cans 29c Crystalized ginger, delightful weet meats, 5- 50x \$1.98 Red kidney beans, tall can, 13½c Blue Valley creamery butter, lb. 54c Dundee evaporated milk, can, 14%c Pure clover light honey, 1-lb.

ars 29c
Sauerkraut, large cans ... 17c
Seeded raisins, pack ... 13½c Dives, Pomeroy and Stewart, Basement

All The Good Things In Silks Were Not Restricted to the January Sale

The Values of This Sale Are Proof

\$1.15 Tub \$2.50 Plaid Crepe de Chine. \$1.65 Silks Just two of the many new silks that have come in for the Mill and Factory Sale and

show selling prices close to the present wholesale prices-

\$1.19 black Taffeta. Special, yard

 \$1.39 black Messaline. Special, yard
 \$1.10

 \$1.50 black Messaline. Special yard
 \$1.29

 \$1.65 black Taffeta. Special, yard
 \$1.29

 \$1.85 black Taffeta. Special, yard
 \$1.39

 \$1.85 black Taffeta. Special, yard
 \$1.39

 \$2.50 black Crepe Meteor. Special yard
 \$1.79

Sweaters For Men, Women And Children New Winter Styles That You Can Buy In The Sale At Extraordinary Savings

Every sweater entering the Mill and Factory Sale is from our own well-selected stock, and every one is of fine quality. The average savings are greater than any we have offered in several years.

Women's Sweaters

\$4.98 wool coat sweaters, with sailor collar and pockets; full belted style in Copenhagen, Kelly and rose—Reduced to \$3.95 \$12.50 fibre coats, underwoven with wool; fancy block weave two tone shawl collar, cuffs and pockets with sash—Reduced to \$8.45

Girls' Sweater Bargains

\$2.50 fine worsted frost coat sweaters with roll collar in maroon, Copenhagen, oxford Cardinal, rose and navy. Reduced to \$1.95 \$2.50 wool sweaters with roll collar; in rose, Copenhagen, tan and maroon. Reduced to, \$2.15

Boys' \$1.50 Sweaters, 98c

\$2.25 Pullovers in dark and light oxford. Re-\$2.50 roll collar sweaters, in maroon, navy, ox-

Men's Sweaters At Prices That Are Interesting

\$2.98 Pullover sweaters in tan and dark oxford with collar and pockets. Reduced to\$2.35 \$3.25 rope weave sweater coats of extra heavy quality. Reduced to\$2.48 \$7.50 heavy brushed wood Arctic coat sweaters in Scotch heather colors. Reduced to\$5.69 Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Men's Store



An Important Sale Announcement Of Women's \$6.00 and \$7.00 Boots at \$4.95

A special lot of about sixty pair of women's novelty high cut boots in colors and combinations; some have cloth tops in matching shades; all are this season's lasts and patterns with high Louis heels taken from regular stock and reduced for the sale because of missing sizes.

Women's \$4.00 light tan calf button and lace shoes; full toe last, high Cuban heels. Mill and Factory Sale Price \$2.65

Women's \$3.50 dull calf and patent colt button and lace shoes in many styles; Cuban heels. Mill and

Laces---Special in The Sale

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75c Stamped Velvet Hand Bags 12 1-2c

Other Art Needlework Specials. 36 inch Lunch Cloths. Mill and

Important Reductions In

Dependable Furniture

Great Values From the February Sale

White Enamel beds with continuous posts, all sizes. Special, \$5.95 Woven wire bed springs with rope edge, guarantee \$7.95
Special \$7.95
Box springs with felt mattress pad; with box edge. Special, \$22.95
Mahogany, golden oak, American Walnut and Birds Eye Maple ureaus. Special \$22.50 Chiffoniers to match the bureaus above. Special \$22.50 Living Room Furniture

Old ivory chairs and rockers with cretonne cushion seats. Special ... \$8,50

Colonial Hall clocks of mahogany. Special ... \$35,00

Reed chairs and rockers in frosted brown finish, with cretonne cushion seat. Special ... \$16,50

Chairs and rockers in tapestry with extra pillow. Special \$44,00

3 piece living room suite in damask, with frames of solid mahogany. Special ... \$69,00

Jacobean oak living room suite with bed davenport and mattress. Special ... \$83,00

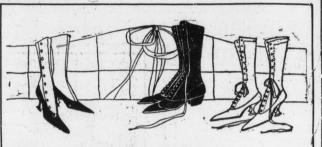
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Valentines Seals, Cut Outs and Place Cards

 Standups
 5c and 10c
 Valentine, Boxed valentines
 10c

 Valentine cut outs
 5c to 25c
 Valentine seals and cut outs
 10c

 Valentine outfits
 5c to 25c
 Valentine place cards, package of 8
 10c
 Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor



Women Will Be Interested In These Sale Offerings In Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords

300 Pair Women's black button shoes in patent colt and gun metal calf, plain toe and tip, cloth and kid tops, all sizes; \$4.50 \$2.25 value. Mill and Factory Sale Price

150 Pair Women's black and tan pumps and oxfords; all sizes in the lot but not of every style. Mill and Factory
Sale Price

100 Pair Women's grey kidskin lace boots high covered heels. Mill and Factory Sale Price

4.90

Suprisingly Cheap (In Price Only) Are These Women's Silk Gloves

Long silk gloves in black and white; \$1.50 value. Mill and Factory Sale Price, 95c

Two-clasp kid gloves, menders, brok-

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor

Dressmakers' Supplies In The Mill and Factory Sale

Goods that are usually classed under the head—Notions—and other items needed in every well-regulated sewing room—priced lower than

5c spools Sewing Silk in black white and colors. Mill and Fac-tory Sale Price 4c 10c Dress Clasps. Mill and Factory Sale Price, card 5c Dressmakers' wax. Mill and Factory Sale Price, 1c to 3c

24 yard bolts white tape. Mill and Factory Sale Price, bolt, 18c and Factory Sale Price, paper, 1c 5 packs Sewing Needles. Mill and Factory Sale Price, pack, 3c Ever Ready buttons and hooks. Mill and Factory Sale Price, strip

49c Tension Scissors. Mill and Factory Sale Price, pair 19c Dagmar hooks and eyes. Mill and Factory Sale Price, card, 4c 300 count toilet pins. Mill and Factory Sale Price, paper ... 4c

5c Invisible hair pins in bronze and black. Mill and Factory Sale Price, box 4c 5c box De Long's standard hair pins. Mill and Factory Sale Price, 4c

15c box wire hair pins, invisible and standard. Mill and Factory Sale Price 12c

Shelf and amber hair pins 5 on card. Mill and Factory Sale Price 10c Du Barry hair pins in shell and amber; 3 shapes. Mill and Factory Sale Price, card 8c

10c shell and amber barrettes. Mill and Factory Sale Price . . 5c Hair Goods

\$1.98 switches. Mill and Factory Sale Price \$1.49 Cap and fringe Hair Nets. Mill and Factory Sale Price, 6 for 25c;

each 50 Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor

A Bargain Group Of Window Shades

Curtain Rods

Couch Covers

Curtain Muslin

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Colored & Black DressGoods

A matchless collection of desirable styles entered in the Mill and Factory Sale at savings that are convincingly worthwhile.

Mill and Factory Sale Price 85c Costume Silk, navy, green, grey and garnet; 36 inch, yard, 68c 75c Batiste, light and dark shades; 36 inch, yard 85c Wool Challis, stripes and polka dots; navy and black, 27

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